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FOR

Facilitating the Reinstatement of Evicted Tenants in Ireland. A.D. 1891.

**B**E it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

- 5 1. In the case of any agricultural or pastoral holding of which the landlord has recovered possession by process of law from the tenant of such holding since the first day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and prior to the *first day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one*, and where the said
- 10 tenant is not in occupation of the holding as tenant, it shall be lawful for the Land Commission, on the joint application of such former landlord and former tenant of such holding, to advance to the said landlord such sum as they shall think proper, not exceeding twice the former annual rent of such holding, and such sum shall
- 15 be in full discharge of all claims for antecedent arrears, costs, or otherwise against such former tenant, and shall be a charge on the tenant's interest in the said holding, and liable to all the provisions of the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1885, and the Acts amending the same, as if it were a sum advanced for the purchase
- 20 of said holding, and the occupier shall be bound to pay the annual instalments as if they were instalments on a sum advanced to him for the purchase of said holding, and he shall also, after such reinstatement in the holding, be deemed to be a tenant of a present tenancy under the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881, and his
- 25 holding shall be subject to all the provisions of the said Act with regard to present tenancies, and he shall have the same interest in the holding as if he had been in continuous occupation thereof.

*Advance of money.*

2. For the purposes of this Act the Commissioners of Church Temporalities in Ireland shall advance to the Land Commission out
- 30 of any moneys at their disposal, or which they may raise on the [Bill 362.]

*Powers of Irish Church Temporalities Commissioners.*

A.D. 1891. security of their annual income, such sum not exceeding in the whole the sum of *one hundred thousand pounds*, as the Commissioners of the Treasury may from time to time direct.

Application  
of provisions  
of Irish  
Church Act.

3. The several provisions of the Irish Church Act, 1869, with respect to the raising of money by the Commissioners of Church 5 Temporalities in Ireland, and the giving of security for the repayment thereof, and of interest thereon, and with respect to the power of the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt to make advances to the said Commissioners of Church Temporalities, and with respect to the powers of the Commissioners 10 of Her Majesty's Treasury in relation to the money so to be raised, shall be extended, and shall apply to the purposes of this Act as fully as such provisions apply to the purposes of the Irish Church Act, 1869.

Short title.

4. This Act may be cited as the Evicted Tenants (Ireland) 15 Reinstatement Act, 1891.

**Evicted Tenants (Ire-  
land) Reinstatement.**

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